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IN A DIGITAL VIDEO TRANSCODER

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This document is filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on April 7, 2009. An extension of time to respond is hereby requested, and the required fee is submitted herewith. No other fees are believed to be due in connection with this response. However, if any fee is found to be due in connection with this response, authorization is provided to charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 502117.

Amendment to the Specification begins on page 2 of this document.

Claim amendments are set forth in the Listing of the Claims that begins on page 3 of this document.

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